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TO : JM

SUBJECT: NISD/W Production Status

1. Seven General Surveys are now in the Branch, and only two more are scheduled to be delivered by the end of December. Of those now in work, two will be completed by early September. Of the other five, two are moving smoothly, with virtually all contributions delivered. Contributions have been received on about half of the remaining three.

2. Assuming that there will not be a flood of manuscripts at the 1 January '74 cut off date, there should be no problem in completing all scheduled Survey production by March. Except for one editor, I see no further loss in TO, which is now six, compared with 10 earlier in the year. There is some doubt at this time on the nine detailed chapters still in the Branch. If the Survey production moves smoothly, however, we should be able to process most of them.

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